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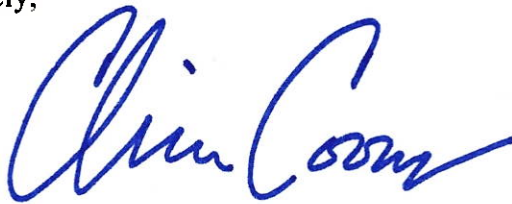
The Honorable Chris Van Hollen  
Chair  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Financial Services  
and General Government  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Cindy Hyde-Smith  
Ranking Member  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Financial Services  
and General Government  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair Van Hollen and Ranking Member Hyde-Smith:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2023 Financial Services and General Government appropriation bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,



Christopher A. Coons  
United States Senator

**Coons, Christopher(D-DE) Financial Services and General Government  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

<b>Recipient Name</b>	<b>Project Purpose</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b>
Delaware Technology Park	This project will create a new startup incubator co-located with the Delaware SBDC that will incubate 10 fintech startups per year focused on improving the financial health of underrepresented communities.	Newark DE	\$1,000
University of Delaware	This project will support the creation of a new center that will translate science and engineering advancements at three universities in Delaware into successful businesses.	Newark DE	\$2,250
True Access Capital	This project will provide minority- and women-owned businesses with training and technical support to identify, pursue, and secure corporate contracts and government procurement opportunities.	Wilmington DE	\$181,024
Delaware Alliance for Nonprofit Advancement	This project would support the creation of an accelerator program for small, growing nonprofits in Delaware and would provide those nonprofits with training, resources, and tools to overcome obstacles that typically prevent such organizations from achieving sustainability, scale, and success.	Wilmington DE	\$803
Wilmington Alliance	This project will enhance an online directory that promotes businesses in the City of Wilmington and will allow the applicant to assist 70 additional small businesses in their marketing efforts, with an emphasis on women- and minority-owned businesses.	Wilmington DE	\$75